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TRANSMITTAL LETTER

In re Application of:
PERSSON, M. et al.

Serial No: 10/007,885

Filing Date: November 5, 2001

Title: SILICA-BASED SOLS

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith find the document(s) related to this application:

1. TRANSMITTAL LETTER IN DUPLICATE;
2. RESPONSE;
3. TOKARZ DECLARATION;
4. JOHANSSON VESTIN DECLARATION;
5. CERTIFICATE OF MAILING; and
6. POSTCARD

Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136 of:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> One Month (\$ 120.00) | <input type="checkbox"/> Two Months (\$ 450.00) |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Three Months (\$1020.00) | <input type="checkbox"/> Four Months (\$ 1590.00) |

The total fee believed due is \$1,020.00. Please charge this amount and any other fees which may be due (including filing fees under 37 CFR 1.16 and processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17) to Deposit Account No. 01-1350. If an extension of time is required but has not been requested above, Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time sufficient for the attached document(s) to be timely. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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